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Government of West Bengal
Office of the Commissioner of Police, Kolkata,
Report (RTI) Section,
18, Lalbazar Street, Kolkata-700 001.

Memo No. 27174 /RPT+RTI+Enclo Dated 20/12/13.
R-4719/13

From: The Jt. Commissioner of Police (A), Kolkata
& State Public Information Officer,
Kolkata Police.

To: Shri Ashim Baral,
C/o Environment Conservation Society,
1A, D.L. Khan Road,
Kolkata-700027.

Sub: Information sought for under RTI Act, 2005.

Sir,

In continuation to this office Memo No. 23061/RPT+RTI (R-4719/13) dt. 30.10.13, a copy of the report obtained from the Deputy Commissioner of Police, Traffic Department, Kolkata, is sent herewith, as sought for.

Yours Sincerely,

Jt. Commissioner of Police (A), Kolkata
&
SPIO, Kolkata Police.

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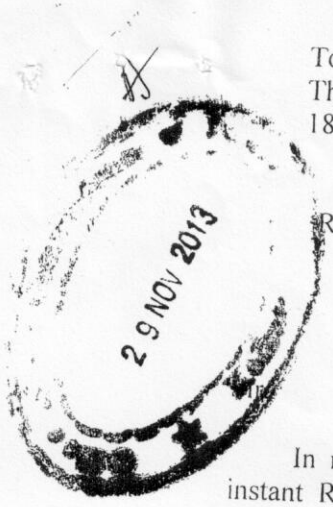

To
The Jt. Commissioner of Police(A) & SPIO
18, Lalbazar Street, Kolkata

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Ref- Memo No. 23061/ RPT+ RTI+ Enclo, R-4719/13 ID- 593176 Dated-30.10.13. TP ID-5992, TPR(B) -9703 Dated-31.10.13, TP/PA/9773 dt-01.11.13 & PG Cell/Traffic/00763/13 Dated- 02.11.13.

In reference to the captioned subject cited herein above beg to submit that the instant RTI petition is arising out of query of one Sri Ashim Baral of Kol-27,C/O Environment Conservation Society , 1A, D.L. Khan Road , Kolkata-700027 addressing the SPIO Kolkata and subsequently seeking exhaustive information regarding a letter dated 26.08.13 (ID-581056) addressed to the Ld CP Kolkata by one Ms Ekta Kothari, Secretary, Environment Conservation Society (Switch ON), where in it appears that a request was made for withdrawal / revocation of cycling restrictions imposed in 174 thoroughfares of Kolkata citing numerous benefits derived from its usage.

Moreover, it shall be pertinent to submit that the petitioner being aggrieved by alleged delay in disposing the same, has sought printed information on behalf of the said Secretary pertaining to daily progress made on the said request letter besides other allied information .

Thereafter, consequent upon receiving a letter dated September 11, 2013 addressed to the undersigned wherein a request was made for organising a meeting to discuss issues related to restrictions on non- motorized transport in 174 thoroughfares in the city by the aforementioned Secretary of Switch On , an interactive meeting was subsequently held with the cyclists at the conference room -II on 26.11.2013 which was attended by professionals hailing from diverse spheres but campaigning for the uniform agenda (copy enclosed) . It transpires from the said meeting that a plethora of suggestions for improvement and demands for revocation have been placed for consideration. The undersigned deems it relevant to reiterate that Police authorities being entrusted with the onerous task of law enforcement shall be constrained to take decisions on policy framing matters, since it is the prerogative of Transport Department and requires unanimous participation of all.

However, it shall also be imperative to submit that exhaustive and elaborate research/study of the suggestions is being undertaken from this end which is still under review. It shall be our endeavour to organise a meeting shortly to address the grievances arising out of the same.

This is for favour of kind perusal and n/a pl.

Yours sincerely,
29/11/13
Deputy Commissioner of Police
Traffic Department, Kolkata.

Meeting with Cyclists at Conference Room – II on 26.11.2013

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